

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has enjoyed a long and distinguished career in the United States Army; and

**Whereas**, Gary V. Johnson, an esteemed resident of Sedalia, Missouri, will officially retire from the Army Aviation Support Facility #1 at Whiteman Air Force Base on May 24, 2004, after thirty-four years of exceptional service and dedication; and

**Whereas**, Gary Johnson successfully performed the many duties and tasks placed before him throughout his impressive tenure as an Aircraft Inspector, prior to which time he served as an Aircraft Mechanic and Engine Mechanic; and

**Whereas**, Gary Johnson served as an Aircraft Mechanic in the United States Army for three years before joining Whiteman Air Force Base; and

**Whereas**, Gary Johnson looks forward to his much-deserved retirement so that he can spend more quality time in the company of his wonderful family which includes his devoted wife, Barbara S. Johnson; his two children and their spouses, Kimberly L. and Monty R. Murphy and Gary W. and Angel L. Johnson; his three grandchildren, Kyle A. Murphy, Mason M. Johnson, and Joshua A. Johnson; and his mother, Elwanda Johnson; and

**Whereas**, it is entirely fitting and proper that this legislative body should pay tribute to Gary Johnson, a remarkable individual and dedicated military professional who will be greatly missed by all those who had the distinct pleasure of knowing and working with him:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Gary Johnson for his thirty-seven years of unparalleled service to Whiteman Air Force Base and to the United States Army, and in wishing him the long, enjoyable, and relaxing retirement he so richly deserves; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Gary V. Johnson.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative David Pearce  
District No. 121

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker